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For: PROCESSES FOR PREPARING EITHER
OPTICALLY ACTIVE N-SUBSTITUTED
BETA-AMINO ACID AND OPTICALLY
ACTIVE N-SUBSTITUTED BETA-AMINO
ACID ESTER OR OPTICALLY ACTIVE-N-
SUBSTITUTED 2-HOMOPIPECOLIC ACID
AND OPTICALLY ACTIVE N-SUBSTITUTED
2-HOMOPIPECOLIC ACID ESTER

Examiner: S. M. Hanley

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of May 18, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Claims 1 and 8 are amended.

New claims 12-19 are added.